

SEPTEMBER 2004 SCHEDULE OF ECONOMIC STATISTICS

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>30 August</p> <p>8:30 <i>Personal Income and Outlays, July</i></p>	<p>31 August</p> <p>10:00 <i>Consumer Confidence (Conference Board), August</i></p>	<p>1</p> <p>10:00 Construction Activity, July 10:00 <i>Purchasing Managers' Mfg. Index, August</i></p>	<p>2</p> <p>8:30 <i>Productivity and Costs, 2004-Q2 (Revised)</i> 8:30 Initial Claims 10:00 Manufacturers' New Orders, Inventories, July P.M. <i>New Motor Vehicle Sales, August</i> P.M. Chain Store Sales, August</p>	<p>3</p> <p>8:30 <i>Employment Report, August</i> 10:00 <i>Purchasing Managers' Non-Mfg. Index, August</i></p>
<p>6</p> <p>HOLIDAY LABOR DAY</p>	<p>7</p> <p>10:00 Challenger Layoffs, August</p>	<p>8</p> <p>2:00 Beige Book 3:00 Consumer Credit, July</p>	<p>9</p> <p>8:30 Import/Export Price Indexes, August 8:30 Initial Claims 10:00 Wholesale Trade, July</p>	<p>10</p> <p>A.M. Blue Chip Forecast 8:30 <i>International Trade, July</i> 8:30 Producer Price Index, August</p>
<p>13</p> <p>2:00 Monthly Treasury Statement, August</p>	<p>14</p> <p>8:30 <i>Retail Sales, August</i> 8:30 Summary of International Transactions, 2004-Q2</p>	<p>15</p> <p>8:30 Business Inventories, July 9:15 <i>Industrial Production and Capacity Utilization, August</i></p>	<p>16</p> <p>8:30 <i>Consumer Price Index, August</i> 8:30 Initial Claims</p>	<p>17</p> <p>10:00 <i>Consumer Sentiment (Mich.), September (Preliminary)</i></p>
<p>20</p>	<p>21</p> <p>8:30 <i>Housing Starts, August</i></p> <p>FOMC MEETING</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p> <p>8:30 Initial Claims 10:00 Leading Indicators, August</p>	<p>24</p> <p>8:30 <i>Durable Goods Orders, August</i></p>
<p>27</p> <p>10:00 <i>New Home Sales, August</i></p>	<p>28</p> <p>10:00 <i>Consumer Confidence (Conference Board), September</i></p>	<p>29</p> <p>8:30 <i>GDP and Corporate Profits, 2004-Q2 (Final)</i></p>	<p>30</p> <p>8:30 <i>Personal Income and Outlays, August</i> 8:30 Initial Claims 10:00 Help-Wanted Index, August</p>	<p>1 October</p> <p>10:00 <i>Purchasing Managers' Mfg. Index, September</i> 10:00 <i>Consumer Sentiment (Mich.), September (Final)</i> 10:00 Construction Activity, August</p>

August 4, 2004